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Government Takes First Step Toward New Trade Policy for Canada to Offset U.S. Tariff

MONTREAL, June 22—Steps designed to lead to more extensive relations in Imperial trade are being taken by the Canadian Government, according to Finance Minister Robb, who is quoted by the Ottawa correspondent of the Montreal Star as stating:

"Communications already have been addressed to the Governments of all the overseas Dominions on the subject." The newspaper adds that D. H. Ross, trade commissioner to Australia, asked Mr. Robb if the Australian pact would be revised. "We are going much further than that. We are communicating with all the Dominion Governments looking toward greater Imperial trade development."

The minister refused further to elaborate beyond admitting that what is in view is a policy of preferential Imperialism and development of trade within the Empire by means of exchange of preference. The common inference is that the development comes in consequence of the United States tariff policy.

PASS LIST OF FIRST YEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL

The pass list for the first year high school was handed out yesterday afternoon by Principal Peddie as follows: Grade IX, B.—Pass with first-class honors in order of merit: Rupert Ross, Cecilia D. Desjardins, James Winslow. Pass with second-class honors in order of merit: Ethel Tomlinson, Joyce Collinson, Margaret (Peggy) Smith, Eleanor Moxley, Ruth Wilkinson, Mable Ivarson, Muriel Vance, Charles Stuart, Ida Schultze, Beattie Haan, Phyllis Brindis and Rose Mussalem, equal.

Y. M. C. A. CAMP OPENS JASPER

JASPER, June 21.—Representing the universities and colleges of the four western provinces, 65 young people are gathered today at the Y. M. C. A. camp on the shores of Lake Edith, Jasper National Park, attending the western conference of the student christian movement. Community problems such as immigration, the Oriental question, internationalism and the place of the church in the life of the country, will form a large part of their program. Prominent men will lead their discussions and deliver addresses. Dr. Ernest Thomas of Toronto, secretary of the board of social service in the United Church, who delivered the opening address last night; J. S. Woodsworth, M.P., who will deal with social problems; Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta; Dr. A. D. Miller of Edmonton; Prof. A. L. Phelps of Wesley College, Winnipeg; K. Shimizu, Japanese consul at the University of British Columbia; A. E. Otwell, registrar of the University of Alberta; and Miss Gertrude Rutherford, associate general secretary of the movement, Toronto, will take the lead in the forum discussions. The delegates during the seven days of their conference, will alternate their meetings with hikes, climbs and rides, so that they may get the full benefit of the mountains of Jasper, as well as their communication with each other.

SPANISH PLANE LANDS AZORES

HORTA, Azores, June 22.—The Spanish trans-Atlantic airplane of Major Ramon Franco and his three companions was reported late this afternoon to have landed on an island of the San Miguel group this morning.

SALT LAKE SERVICE

Water fine at Salt Lakes. Naas River leaves Pacific Salvage floats every hour and half hour.

MEXICO AND THE CHURCH

MEXICO CITY, June 22.—Settlement of the controversy between the Roman Catholic Church and Mexico was announced by President Gil last night. The Mexican Government will allow the Catholic hierarchy to a degree the extent of who are to register in compliance with Mexican laws. Religious instruction, while not permitted in the schools, will be permitted within the churches. The right is reserved for the Catholic prelates to apply for a modification of the constitution at any time in the future.

HIT-AND-RUN DRIVERS SHALL RECEIVE LASH

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, June 20.—A warning that any driver of a motor car who knocks down any person and drives on without stopping to see what injury he has caused will receive the lash was issued by Justice Krause at the Rand Criminal Sessions recently when he fined Isidore Thomas, European ambulance driver at Springs, \$125 with the option of six months imprisonment. The accused pleaded guilty to running into a native who was riding a bicycle on the road near Barkpan and causing his death. Thomas had stopped his ambulance, placed the man inside and rushed him to a hospital, but the injured man died six days later. "You people who drive ambulances and post office vans," said the judge, "think that you own the road and that no one else has a right to be anywhere near you. Justice Krause told Thomas that if he had not stopped, a sentence of lashes would have been considered. I issue a general warning," said the judge. "Men who come before me who have driven into someone and have then driven on without caring for the result will get lashes. That is the sentence for brutality."

BABE RUTH IS AGAIN A HERO

NEW YORK, June 22.—The New York Yankees took the nightcap from the Philadelphia Athletics 8 to 3 after losing the first game of the double-header 1 to 11 yesterday afternoon. It was all the work of Babe Ruth, who, for the first time since his illness found himself. In the first game he was just a ball player, but in the second he became a hero once more. He lifted two homers and made a single, driving in seven runs out of the eight. The huge crowd went wild with excitement to see the beloved Bambino once more himself and pulling them down for the home team.

NATIONAL New York 11, Philadelphia 5, Brooklyn 7, Boston 3, Pittsburgh 14, Chicago 3. AMERICAN Philadelphia 11-3, New York 1-8, Boston 4, Washington 5.

DR. S. S. DAVIDSON



Who has been elected President of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons. Dr. Davidson graduated from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons in 1892 and has been in active practice as a dentist in Ottawa for more than forty-five years.

VANCOUVER COMMENT ON BISHOP LLOYD

It is small matter for surprise that the violent and very personal attacks against General European settlers in Canada which have been launched over a period of years by Bishop Lloyd of Saskatchewan have at last moved one of their number, a member of parliament at Ottawa, to warm rejoinder. These attacks have sometimes found their way into the press, and the Star is, no doubt, only one of the many papers to which typewritten communications containing the attacks are frequently sent. Judging by the wired reports from Ottawa, Mr. Luchkovich's reply was at once dignified, eloquent and biting.

Associated Boards of Trade Will Meet Here This Week and will Be Entertained Locally

Program of entertainment for visiting delegates to the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia annual convention here next week has been arranged and will be under the joint auspices of the city council and Prince Rupert Board of Trade. At 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, the delegates will be taken for a motor drive to the end of the Kaien Island Highway. On Thursday evening there will be a banquet in the Commodore Cafe and on Friday afternoon at 2:30 the visitors will be taken for a boat trip on the harbor and elsewhere in the vicinity. The rest of the time of the delegates here will be pretty well taken up with the business sessions of the convention.

NEAR DROWNING OF GLEE SINGER

Thirteen year old Alan Goddard, youngest member of the Westminster Glee Singers party which is visiting the city and, incidentally, the only one of the five boy sopranos who cannot swim, had the most exciting experience of his present tour in Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon when, essaying to cross the old dilapidated wharf between the Canadian National and ocean docks, he stepped on a rotten board which gave away, falling through the hole to the water below. The water was beyond his depth and the largest boy of the party, Douglas Bertrip, attempted to rescue him but by clinging to a pile, could do no better than help him to keep afloat. Timely aid came along in the person of William Reid of the C.N.R. electrical department who climbed down the rocky shore and pulled the lads into safety.

Bessel Island cannibals kill their victims by smothering.

WAS CARRIED OVER A CLIFF GOAT HUNTING

David Shaw, Prospector, Was Struck by Boulder Near Kalum Lake

INQUEST BY MONROE Funeral Took Place at Terrace Under Masonic Auspices and Last Post Sounded

TERRACE, June 22.—An inquest into the death of David Shaw, prospector of the Kalum Lake district, was held in the police station on Wednesday before Coroner C. L. Monroe of Prince Rupert. The jury after hearing the evidence of F. Nightwine, who was with him at the time, W. Stevens and Constable H. Raybone, who located the body, brought in a verdict of accidental death, caused by being hit on the head by a falling rock and knocked over a cliff.

The deceased man and his brother-in-law, F. Nightwine, were goat hunting on Saturday about nine miles up Maroon Creek from Kalum Lake. In going around a narrow ledge on the mountainside a large boulder loosened and fell striking Mr. Shaw on the head and carrying him over the edge. After searching unsuccessfully during Saturday night and part of Sunday, Mr. Nightwine returned to Rosswood and organized a search party. The body was found on Monday about a hundred and twenty feet down the mountainside. Death had been evidently instantaneous. On the arrival of a policeman on Tuesday the remains were moved to Rosswood and thence to Terrace on Wednesday.

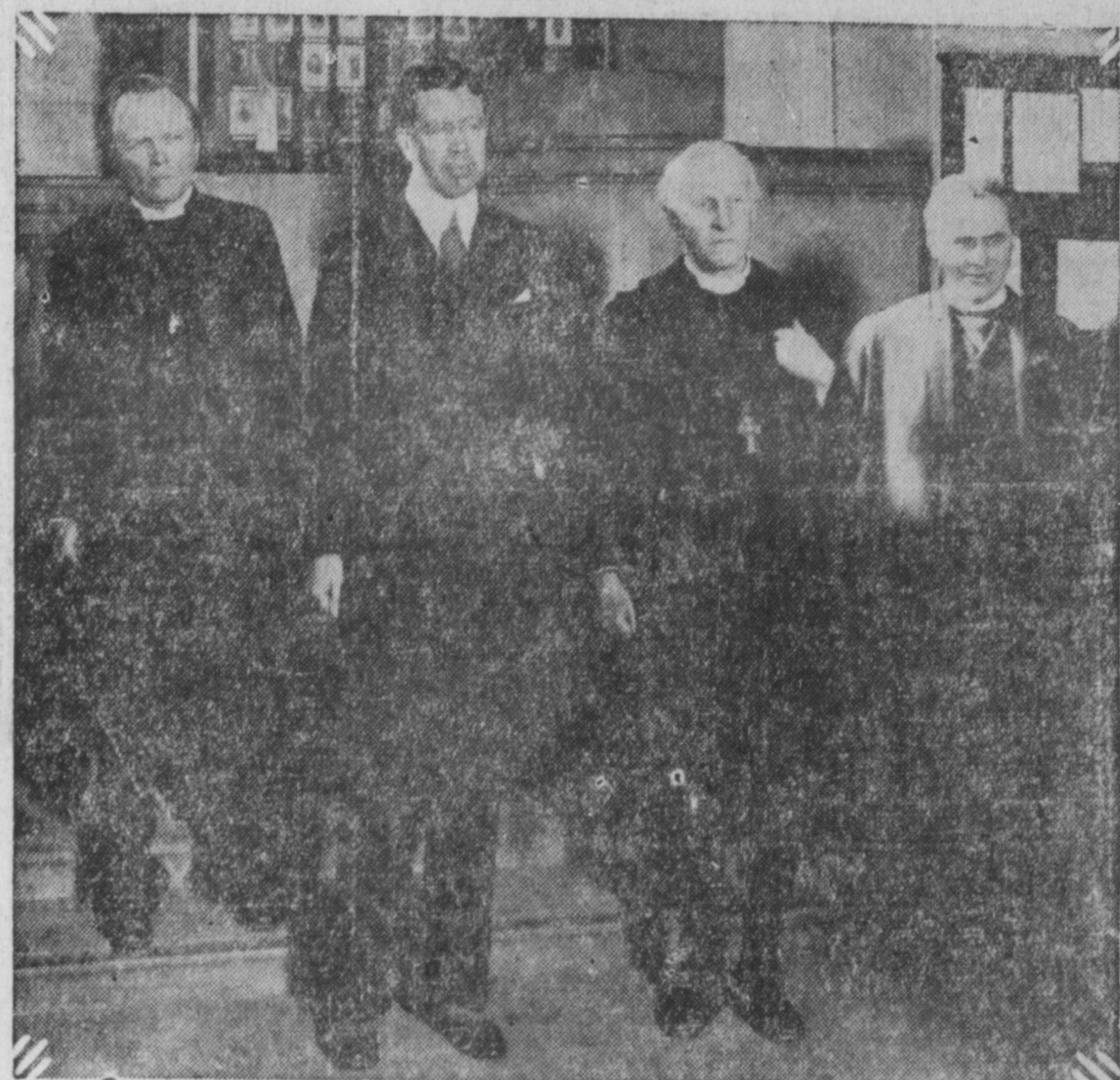
Funeral Wednesday

Following the inquest, the funeral was held on Wednesday evening from Knox United Church and was largely attended. Rev. Wm. Allan conducted the service and E. T. Kenney also spoke on behalf of the Native Sons, while a male choir rendered appropriate music. The deceased man, who was fifty-eight years old on Monday, has been a resident of this district for about ten years. He was a native son of E. G. being one of the first white children born in the Cariboo country. He was also a returned man and was a member of the Masonic order. Interment was made in Kitsum Kalum cemetery. The ritual of the Native Sons was read at the graveside by A. E. Johnston and the last post was sounded by S. N. Kirkland in recognition of his war service. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Deceased is survived by a sister, Mrs. F. Nightwine, of Terrace, and a brother in the Cariboo district.

HALIBUT SALES

Boats Selling Catches at Local Fish Exchange Today Summary American—109,000 pounds, 12c and 8c. Canadian—47,500 pounds, 12c and 8c and 13.2c and 8c. American Havana, 27,000 pounds; Tatoosh, 12,000; Star, 12,000; Pegge, 9,000; Venus, 8,500; and Wave, 2,500; Cold Storage, 12c and 8c. J. P. Todd II, 13,000, and Lanning, 10,500, Booth, 12c and 8c. Hazel H., 14,500, Atlin, 12c and 8c. Canadian Cape Spear, 8,000, Pacific, 12c and 8c. Unome, 8,000, Atlin, 13.2c and 8c. Verna, 5,500, and Southend, 11,000, Atlin, 12c and 8c. Bobby, 2,000, and Dundas, 3,000, Cold Storage, 12c and 8c. Capt Swain, 10,000, Booth, 12c and 8c.

Celebrities at the Burge Memorial Lecture



The Archbishop of Canterbury presided at the Burge Memorial Lecture given by the Bishop of Upsala on "The Church and Peace," at King's College, Oxford. The group above shows, left to right: The Archbishop of Upsala, Crown Prince of Sweden, Archbishop of Canterbury and the Dean of King's College.

W. A. SESSIONS CLOSED FRIDAY

Reports Presented at Business Meetings Yesterday Reflected Successful Work in Diocese

OFFICERS ELECTED Mrs. G. A. Rix Is Again Named President on Board in Caledonia

At the business sessions yesterday of the eighteenth annual meeting of the Caledonia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada, there was a large attendance and excellent reports were presented by the various ladies in charge of special departments. The address of the president, Mrs. G. A. Rix, was listened to with great interest.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President—Mrs. G. A. Rix, First vice-president—Mrs. J. B. Gibson, Second vice-president—Mrs. Thomas Andrew, Secretary—Mrs. A. McCoskrie, Treasurer—Mrs. R. L. McIntosh, Dorcas secretary—Mrs. A. E. Bazett-Jones, Literature secretary—Mrs. George Rorie, "Living Message" editor—Mrs. J. D. Allen, United thank offering secretary—Mrs. A. H. Carson, Girls' branch secretary—Mrs. C. W. Homer, Junior branch secretary—Mrs. A. T. Parkin, Little Helpers' secretary—Mrs. W. H. Tobey.

Literature secretary—Mrs. George Rorie, "Living Message" editor—Mrs. J. D. Allen, United thank offering secretary—Mrs. A. H. Carson, Girls' branch secretary—Mrs. C. W. Homer, Junior branch secretary—Mrs. A. T. Parkin, Little Helpers' secretary—Mrs. W. H. Tobey.

At the luncheon given yesterday afternoon by the local branch of the Woman's Auxiliary under the superintendence of the president, Mrs. Thomas Andrew, to the delegates to the conference, Bishop G. A. Rix expressed his thanks for the help that the Woman's Auxiliary had been to the diocese, especially for its success in raising the large sum of \$1000 for the Episcopal Endowment Fund. At the tea given by Mrs. Rix on Thursday afternoon to the delegates, ladies of the Woman's Auxiliary and congregation of St. Andrew's, Mrs. J. B. Gibson, as-

TO TOUR CANADA



Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer in the Conservative Government, is coming to Canada on an extensive tour this summer now that he has been relieved of his strenuous duties by the Labor Party.

sisted in receiving. Presiding in the tea room were Mrs. Thomas Andrew and Mrs. George Rorie, while those serving refreshments were Mrs. C. W. Homer, Mrs. A. T. Parkin, Mrs. A. E. Bazett-Jones, Mrs. C. V. Evitt and Mrs. Alex Rix.

PLANS SURVEY PEACE RIVER

Plane Is on Way From Winnipeg to Undertake Work for Provincial Government WINNIPEG, June 22.—A Junkers plane took off from here yesterday for Edmonton, where Pilot Calder will take charge and make a photographic survey of the Peace River district for the British Columbia Government, covering 5000 square miles north of Prince George.

PRICE OF WHEAT TAKES JUMP TODAY VANCOUVER, June 22.—The price of wheat took a big jump today on the local exchange reaching \$1.21 3/4, the highest quoted in many weeks.

SWIMMERS TO MAKE ATTEMPT CROSS CHANNEL

DOVER, England, June 21.—The channel-crossing season is on again. What Julius Caesar did in a boat in 55 B.C. and Gertrude Ederle did in a bathing suit in 1926 A.D. has been done twice this year on pontoon-bicycles, and at least a score of swimmers are in training to do what has not been done since 1923—the swimming of the English Channel from England to France instead of vice versa. Two bakers, a mattress maker, a couple of stenographers, a nursemaid and a Bohemian mechanic have splashed their way from the coast of France to the coast of England, and it is getting to be old stuff. This year the really ambitious swimmers are out to perform the more difficult feat of starting from England and finishing in France, unfavorable currents to the contrary notwithstanding. Among the men and women who have announced their intention to compete for the gold cup offered for the first England to France crossing are several who in previous years accomplished the France to England crawl. These include Charles Toth, the American, who swam from Cape Gris Nez to Dover in 1923 in 96 hours and 54 minutes; Norman L. Durham of London, who did it in 13 hours 57 minutes in 1926; George Michel, the Paris baker, who crossed in the same year in 11 hours 5 minutes; Isak Helmy, the Egyptian, who struggled over in 23:40 last year; and two English girls who also made the distance in 1928—Ivy Hawke and Hilda "Laddie" Sharp. Miss Sharp did the Gris Nez to Dover swim in 14:58, which was within half an hour of Gertrude Ederle's channel record for women. Two other women who have no English Channel crossings to their credit yet hope to have some soon are the American twins, Phyllis and Berenice Zittenfeld. It is also possible that Mercedes Gietz, the London typist, who swam the channel in 1927, will compete for the gold cup this year. Other aspirants for channel fame in 1929 include a middle-aged woman with a family of eight an 11-year-old schoolgirl, a one-legged swimmer and an athlete though white-headed gentleman of 60.

COLUMBIA WON ROWING MATCH

MARLOW, England, June 23.—The crack 150-pound crew of Columbia University today won the Marlow eights, defeating Twickenham by a length and a quarter in the final after winning two preliminary heats. The time was four minutes 20 seconds for seven-eighths of a mile. South Africa produces 90 per cent of the world's diamonds.